

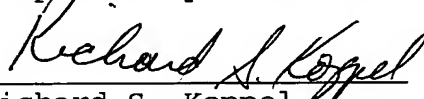
Remarks

Although the cover sheet of the August 10, 2005 Office action categorized the action as non-final, the Detailed Action stated it was final. The undersigned left a telephone message for the Examiner requesting clarification, in the absence of which the action is assumed to be final.

Claims 23-25 were allowed, and have been retained in the application. A typo made in the previous amendment to claim 24, erroneously changing its dependency from claim 23 to claim 24, has been corrected by restoring its dependency to claim 23. Claims 11-14 and 16-18 have been amended to depend from allowed claim 23, and therefore should also be allowable. The remaining claims 1-10, 15, 19-22 and 26-38 have been cancelled. No concession of unpatentability is made with respect to the cancelled claims or to claims 11-14 and 16-18 in their form prior to this amendment, and applicant reserves the right to file a continuation or continuation-in-part application including these claims.

A Revocation of Power of Attorney With New Power of Attorney and Change of Correspondence Address was filed on August 17, 2005. Kindly address all further communications in this application to the new correspondence address.

Respectfully submitted,


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